

Iron County Register

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Do not overlook that sterling citizen and good Democrat, James Kelley Poole, when you go to the Primary. He merits your respect and good-will. Give him a boost!

THE "boss" politicians and many of the big papers do not favor Con. Roach; but there's a wide gulf between them and the rank and file of the Democratic party, as next Tuesday will demonstrate.

I AM for Con Roach for several good and sufficient reasons—primarily, because he will make a good Governor—an official for whom no apology will be necessary. He has the requisite personality and experience and is a Democrat with whom Democratic principle is an abiding faith. His record is clean and his service as an official capable and commendable—honorable to his party and himself. Being such a man impels my advocacy of his cause before the Primary. And after the Primary? Let us counsel a little, fellow Democrats, and be frank with one another. It is as certain as anything political can be, before election, that the nominee will be either Roach, Gardner or Atkinson. Threats are frequent from the partisans of the last named that they will not abide the result if Gardner is the victor in the Primary; and some of those advocating Gardner's election declare Atkinson's friends cannot complain if the "wet" contingent refuse to rally to his support in November. The positions of both are indefensible from a Democratic point of view; but that such is the feeling that has been engendered cannot be denied. Is it not the wiser course, then, for those who place the welfare of the party above the interests of the contestants, to seek a way to side-track the danger from those disturbing elements? And it can be easily found. Mr. Roach has no entangling alliances; his candidacy has bred no bitterness, and all Democrats can give him hearty support against the common enemy at the general election.

Bellevue News.

Our valley has been visited by some fine rain the past week.

Miss Belle Sickles returned recently from a visit to Yandalia.

T. M. Bell is spending the summer months at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Miss Leone Morris of St. Louis is guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Middleton of Irondale are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. David Lasater has been quite sick, but is better now.

B. F. Englewood was a business visitor to St. Louis last week.

Wm. Townsend has purchased a new piano from a St. Louis firm.

Miss Jenna Logan of St. Louis spent a few days of last week visiting relatives here.

Mrs. H. L. Bell and daughter, Miss Gladys, are visiting Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hill, in Sullivan, Mo.

Clark Smith and Robert Bynum were business callers in Bismarck Monday.

We are told the picnic on last Saturday at Graniteville, celebrating the completion of the Bellevue & Western R. R., was quite a success. It was intended to have the road finished to Bellevue by Saturday noon, but a little bad luck caused a delay; however, we expect to hear the train whistle for our town within 10 days.

So many of our people attended the Methodist Assembly at Arcadia. All agree in pronouncing this the best year of the seven. Some of the best talent in Southern Methodism, besides some great men from other churches made up the program, which was varied from time to time, avoiding monotony. It was truly, a great Assembly!

Mrs. J. O. Campbell while in the city recently, visited an Orphan Home and adopted a beautiful little 13-month-old boy baby. A worthy and noble example for other childless homes.

Died—At his home here last Saturday, Chas. Edmonds, past 80 years old, after a lingering illness of several months. He leaves a wife, two daughters and five sons to mourn their loss. Funeral services at the home last Monday afternoon by Rev. I. N. Sherrow. Interred in Eldon Cemetery. ALPHA.

Graniteville News.

We need rain very bad in this part of the county.

Mr. Fred Orrick departed last Sunday for Bixby, where he will teach school.

Mr. Wm. Jones has departed for St. Louis, where he has a position.

Misses Ella Ray and Lena Wakefield have returned from the city where they have been working.

Misses Lake Moore and Hazel Evans where the guests of Miss Artilla Jones Tuesday evening.

Quite a crowd of young people have been going to Arcadia Heights.

Misses Josie and Myrtle Orrick spent Friday with their aunt, Mrs. Light, at Bellevue.

Mrs. Joe Brown spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Moore, of near Graniteville.

Mr. R. J. McArthur is transacting business in St. Louis this week.

Miss Lola Havens spent Sunday with a number of her friends at Graniteville.

Mr. Irvin Landle and Miss Grace Gibson spent Wednesday evening at the lake.

The little baby of Mrs. John Gardner has been sick the past week.

Mr. George Brown has been having some dental work done the past few weeks.

Miss Hazel Evans has been visiting at Bismarck.

Miss Helen McArthur spent the 4th in Festus.

Miss Ethel Shrum left last Friday to visit her sick sister, Mrs. S. M. Delaney, at Lutesville, Mo.

ROSE BUD.

Weather Report.

Meteorological Report of Cooperative Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, July 25, 1916:

Days of Week.	Day of Month.	Temperature Highest.	Temperature Lowest.	Precipitation.
Wednesday.....	19	83	67	T
Thursday.....	20	83	69	
Friday.....	21	91	70	
Saturday.....	22	91	61	
Sunday.....	23	83	66	T
Monday.....	24	95	61	
Tuesday.....	25	98	60	

NOTE.—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow, and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation. W. H. DELANO, Observer.

Bluer and Bluer.

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch.) Soft drink fountains, cigar stands and gasoline tanks had the "lid" on them in Virginia Sunday.

The growing tendency in America is to make the Sabbath bluer and bluer, with the multiplication of bluer laws. The result will be to make people hate it—or make them utterly despise the law and the so-called morality behind it. Men are but children of the larger growth and unnecessary discipline is harmful to them as well as hateful. Blue laws

proceed, moreover, on the presumption that men are irresponsible and require state guardianship to restrain their personal conduct. The revolt of human nature against this sort of thing is inevitable. The revolt is towards excesses and the breaking down of all regulation. If men are presumed to be licentious they will ultimately prove to be.

Nothing is so licentious as sumptuary law, or so tyrannical. Nothing is more subversive of real morality than the "reform" which runs amuck and strikes at personal liberty.

PROBATE DOCKET.

Term Docket of the Probate Court, Iron County, Missouri—August Term, A. D. 1916.

Monday, August 14th.

T. N. Marr, administrator with will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Tharp, deceased.

Julia A. Mund, administratrix of the estate of Louis Mund, deceased.

W. T. Gay, curator of the estate of Warden Miles, a minor.

W. H. White, guardian and curator of the estate of Corine White, a minor.

Tuesday, August 15th.

Harry R. Holland, administrator of the estate of Harry R. Holland, deceased.

D. J. McKinney, executor of the estate of W. S. McKinney, deceased.

Isaac Kelley, guardian of the persons and curator of the estates of Paul Thomas Leonard and George Dewey Leonard, minors.

Wednesday, August 16th.

Mrs. Sarah Terry, guardian and curator of the person and estate of Wm. J. B. Terry, a minor.

O. W. ROOP, Judge of Probate & Ex-officio Clerk.

Vote for John L. Bradley for State Auditor



BECAUSE the unanimous support given his candidacy by Organized Labor will make his name worth thousands of votes to the Democratic party in November.

BECAUSE he is fair minded and honorable; he resigned a good position to run for Auditor, refusing to hold onto one fat job and use the taxpayers' money to get another.

BECAUSE his chief opponent, Mr. Gordon, now holding the office, is not entitled to a third term.

BECAUSE his other opponent, Mr. Wayland, has a permanent job as assistant sergeant-at-arms of the U. S. Senate, at \$2,500 a year, and has continued to receive this salary while campaigning for Auditor.

FARMERS OF MISSOURI.

Who of these various candidates for Governor represent the agricultural class of Missouri?

Which one of them have you seen around our county and state fairs, at road meetings, farmers' institutes, horse, jack and cattle sales?

Which of these men know the needs of this great rural Missouri? Don't let them "muddy" the issue. There are false issues in this campaign.

Houchin knows rural Missouri and her needs.

Houchin's plan for road building is practical and it will build 100 miles of rock roads in every county of Missouri by using idle convicts and the automobile tax without adding one dollar of extra taxation upon any one.

Houchin is against idle clerks, useless departments, nepotism, and will give you a house-cleaning at Jefferson City if he gets a chance. There is no fight on Houchin, he will carry the party vote and a large independent vote. His plan of working convicts on the roads solves the penitentiary labor problem and organized labor is for him because it solves a problem that they have been trying for fifteen years to solve.

HOUCHIN IS A WINNER; there is no fight on him except that which has been created by the job hunters and perpetual office holders, who have tried to make the people of Missouri believe that Houchin is not in the race for Governor. The large number of voters who are leaving other candidates and joining the ranks of Houchin, who they know is a winner, is a final denial. Get behind Houchin and Good Roads. Vote for Houchin and see that your neighbors vote for him. Houchin will be our next Governor.

LABORING MEN'S HOUCHIN-FOR-GOVERNOR CLUB.

Valley Meat Market

EDW. BETHEL, PROP'R

Fresh and Salted Meats, Poultry, Fish, Oysters in Season, Fruits and Vegetables of All Kinds

Care will be taken to acceptably serve the public, and a share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

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IRON COUNTY BANK

IRONTON, MO.

CAPITAL, \$10,000

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Insured Against Burglary, and Interest Paid on Time Deposits

A Continuance of Past Liberal Patronage is Solicited.

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SPECIAL JULY REDUCTIONS

BIC CUT

In Many Items of Summer Merchandise—the Kind You Need Right Now!

Ladies' Summer Suits, Made from the New and Popular "Cool Cloth." Regular Price, \$7.75; Special July Price, \$5.50.

Ladies' Sportie Strip Beach Cloth Suits, (very nifty), Regular price, \$8.00; Special July Price, \$6.00.

Large Lot Wash Skirts (white slightly soiled), to close out at 60c each.

Other Wash Skirts in great variety in White and Sport Stripes, at from \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.

Dress Goods Bargain Counter

We have placed on this Counter no less than three dozen pieces of Crepes, Lawns and Tissue Cloths, regular 25c goods, for 19c per yard. Also Heavy Crash Skirting, a big bargain, at 8 1-3c yd.

In addition to these special bargains, we are constantly receiving express shipments of the newest things in Voiles, Organdies, and the very popular Sport Stripes.

Do You Do Embroidery Work? Look at this Big Bargain.

1000 Spools of Silk Button-Hole Twist and Embroidered Silk, assorted colors, that have always sold 2 for 5c; on sale at one cent a spool, or 10c a dozen.

One Large Lot of Raw Silk, Silkateen and Crochet Cotton, Regular 5 cent goods, to close, 2 for 5c.

One Lot Darning and Crochet Cotton on sale at one cent each.

One Large Lot Basting Thread at 5 Spools for 5 cents.



Wonderful Bargains in Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords.

No less than 100 pairs on 'Special Sale, mostly 3's to 4 1-2, Regular \$2, 2.25 and 2.50, on sale at 95c a pair. Regular \$3.00, 3.25 and 3.50 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at \$1.80 a pair. Do not miss this; the values are unusual.

Splendid Satin Ribbon Assortment

From 1 to 2 inches wide, very special at 5c a yard.

Six Dozen Ladies' Fine Sample Hosiery, Assorted Colors, regular 35c value, on Special Sale, 25c a pair.

HOT WAETHER UNDERWEAR

The Kind that will Keep You Cool

Fine Assortment of Ladies' Vests, at 10c to 25c.

Cool Clothing!

We have it in Wide Diversity of Styles and Prices.

Panama Suits, Palm Beach Suits, "Cool Cloth" Suits, from \$4.50 to \$7.50 a suit.

Bathers' Supplies

Our Large Stock of Bathing Suite, Caps, Shoes, Etc., are moving freely these hot days—come and Get Yours.

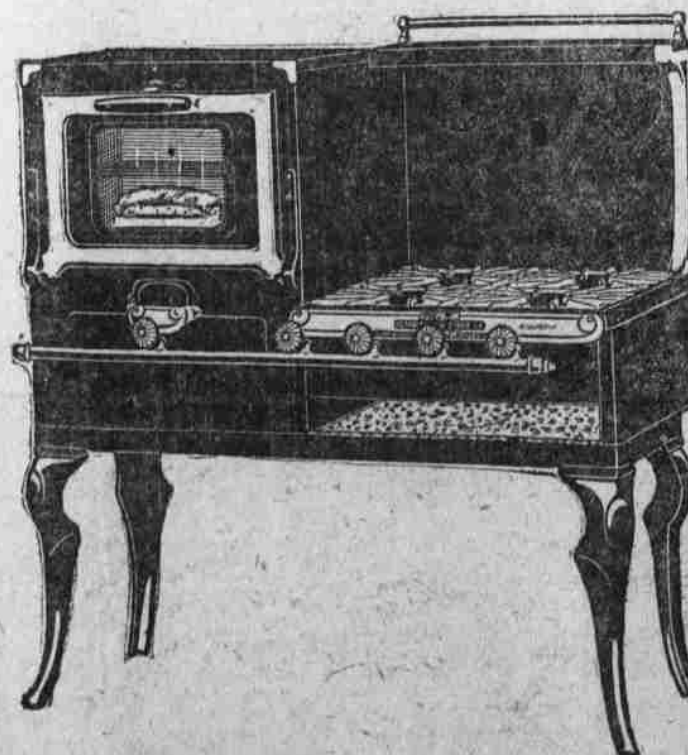
Boys' and Men's Bathing Suits at 40c, 50c, 65c and \$1.00 each.

Ladies' Fine Bathing Suits at \$2.00 and \$2.25.

Bathing Slippers, 85c. Water Wings, 25c.



Detroit Vapor Oil Stoves: WORLD BEATERS.



They are Wickless and operate with Less Fuel than Any Other Make. Cannot Get Out of Order, and will Last an ordinary Lifetime. Could You Ask for More?

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